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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Address to: MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number	10/083,251
	Filing Date	October 22, 2001
	First Named Inventor	Kump, et al.
	Art Unit	3632
	Examiner	Ko Hung Chan
	Attorney Docket No.	FFRZ 2 00168-3

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.**

1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief filed on

ii. ☐ Other.

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Preliminary Amendment filed herewith

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

b. ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a -month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.

c. ☐ Other

3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.114(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)

ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. ☐ Other

b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$395.00 (small entity) enclosed.

c. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ (small entity) to cover the applicable extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Ser. No.: 10/083,251	Filed: October 22, 2001	Examiner: Ko Hung Chan
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To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is a *Preliminary Amendment* in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	31	Minus	32	0	X 9	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	4	Minus	7	0	X 43	\$0.00
TOTAL					=	\$0.00

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ A check in the amount of \$      is attached.  
☐ Charge \$      to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.  
☐ Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request a      month **extension of time** to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$      .00 to cover the applicable extension of time fees.  
☒ Applicants request any extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the required fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.  
☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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